

REQUEST FOR

CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

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| Application Number | 09/781,638 |] |
| Filing Date | February 12, 2001 | |
| First Named Inventor | Suraj C. Kothari | |
| Group Art Unit | 2122 | |
| Examiner Name | Chameli Das | |
| Attorney Docket Number | 900.174US1 | |
| Customer No. | 21186 | |

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application entitled INTEGRATED INTERACTIVE SOFTWARE VISUALIZATION ENVIRONMENT.

Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- 1. _ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on .
- 2. _ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on .
- 3. X An Amendment Under 37 CFR § 1.116 (12 pages) is enclosed.
- 4. _ A new power of attorney (pages) is enclosed.
- 5. _ An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed (pages).
 - a. Form(s) 1449
 - b. Copies of IDS Citations
- 6. X Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$395.00 to pay the RCE filing fee required under C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
- 7. X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge any fees set forth in 37 CFR §§ 1.16 through 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.
- 8. \underline{X} A Petition for Extension of Time in the prior application ($\underline{1}$ page) is enclosed.
- 9. \underline{X} Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of $\underline{\$510.00}$ to pay the extension fee.

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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Attn-Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 23rd day of June, 2005.

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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE FILED WITH A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED <u>EXAMINATION</u>

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed <u>January 13, 2005</u>, please amend the application as indicated below.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a three-month extension of the period for responding to the Office Action, thereby moving the deadline for response from April 13, 2005 to July 13, 2005.